INDIANAPOLIS, 46204

## INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION 302 W. WASHINGTON STREET, ROOM E306

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, INCORPORATED, D/B/A AMERITECH INDIANA PURSUANT TO I.C. 8-1-2-61 FOR A THREE-PHASE PROCESS FOR COMMISSION REVIEW OF VARIOUS SUBMISSIONS OF AMERITECH INDIANA TO SHOW COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 271(C) OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996)

FILED

JAN 0 8 2001

INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

**CAUSE NO. 41657** 

You are hereby notified that on this date, the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission has caused the following entry to be made:

On November 9, 2000, the presiding officers issued a docket entry regarding performance penalty plans. The docket entry set forth two alternatives for the collaborative to discuss and recommend a process for the presentation of performance penalty plans. Attached to that docket entry were general principles to be used as a set of guidelines that the parties should address as part of their plans and use for generating comments on the other performance penalty plans. The docket entry also found that all plans will be evaluated primarily on their ability or inability to meet these guidelines and that the parties are to address and incorporate the guidelines attached hereto with their filings. Additionally, in the reply comments, each proponent of a plan should specify what modifications to each of the other plans would be required to make those other plans acceptable to the commenting party.

The parties informed the Commission through an e-mail from Mr. Kern that the collaborative parties intending to submit performance penalty plans would be prepared to submit their respective plans on January 23, 2001, with thirty days for comments and an additional thirty days for reply comments. Therefore, all performance penalty plans should be submitted to the Commission by January 23, 2001. All comments should be submitted by February 22, 2001 and all reply comments submitted by March 26, 2001.

IT IS SO ORDERED, consistent with the foregoing findings.

Camie J. Swanson-Hull, Commissioner

Abby R. Gray, Administrative Law Judge

Date

Jøseph M. Sutherland

Secretary to the Commission